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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of: **Muneki HAMASHIMA et al.**

Group Art Unit: **2821**

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Examiner: **Thuy V. Tran**

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METHOD USING THE SAME**

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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

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Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action dated April 6, 2005, and having a response due date set for July 6, 2005. The following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.